Child Welfare Partners Committee (CWPC) Meeting Notes

Thursday, April 27, 2023 In Person/Zoom Meeting

Members in attendance: Emily Blomme, Chris Koepplin, Mary Beth O'Neill, Liam Healy, Ana Clymer, Janee Harvey, Kristie Oliver

Members not in attendance: Natalie Clapp, Mylene Wanatee, Chad Jensen, Linda Dettmann, Lori Frick. Jana Rhoads

Summary of Meeting:

Statewide Meeting Planning

Due to current capacity, committee members who were present agreed that it would be best to plan for a meeting after the July 1st new contract rollout. It was determined that the statewide meeting scheduled for June 22nd would be cancelled. Members discussed that some of the questions to consider when planning are what would engage everyone and who should be present. Some of the suggestions included holding a meeting in each service area on the same day or throughout 1 week with the same agenda. The objective of the meetings would be relationship building and creating community partnerships. Janee and Lori will meet to discuss and will follow up with the committee. Kristie will communicate the decision to providers.

Changes in the field

This topic was moved to next month as Lori was not present.

Acknowledgement from providers

Providers said Thank you to HHS for continued efforts to build trust and strengthen relationships. They wanted to express their thanks personally and plan to also send a Thank you card.

Service Area rollout timeframe/challenges in rollout

Janee shared that she did not have any information to provide at this time. She will know more in the coming week and will follow up.

Next Meeting: Thursday, June 8, 2023-1:00 PM- 3:00 PM In person @ Hoover/via Zoom